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By Mr. PAYNE (for himself and Mr. SAN NICOLAS):

H.R. 2743. A bill to amend the Homeland Security Act of 2002 to establish a process to review applications for certain grants to purchase equipment or systems that do not meet or exceed any applicable national voluntary consensus standards, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security.

By Mr. PAYNE (for himself, Mr. BROWN, Ms. JACKSON LEE, Mr. SUOZZI, Ms. NORTON, Mr. VARGAS, Ms. NEWMAN, and Mr. CARSON):

H.R. 2744. A bill to provide hazardous duty pay for Federal employees who may be exposed to COVID-19, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Oversight and Reform.

By Mr. POCAN (for himself, Mr. GARCÍA of Illinois, Mr. KHANNA, Mr. LYNCH, and Ms. NORTON):

H.R. 2745. A bill to provide incentives for businesses to keep jobs in America, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on Education and Labor, Oversight and Reform, and Armed Services, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Ms. ROSS (for herself, Mr. BUTTERFIELD, Mr. MURPHY of North Carolina, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Ms. FOX, Ms. MANNING, Mr. ROUZER, Mr. HUDSON, Mr. BISHOP of North Carolina, Mr. MCHENRY, Mr. CAWTHORN, Ms. ADAMS, and Mr. BUDD):

H.R. 2746. A bill to amend title 28, United States Code, to redefine the eastern and middle judicial districts of North Carolina; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. SCANLON (for herself and Mr. THOMPSON of Pennsylvania):

H.R. 2747. A bill to amend the Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment Act to provide for better protections for children raised in kinship families outside of the foster care system; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. SCHNEIDER (for himself, Mrs. WAGNER, Ms. GARCIA of Texas, Mr. MEIJER, Mr. MEEKS, and Mr. MCCAUL):

H.R. 2748. A bill to encourage the normalization of relations with Israel, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Ms. UNDERWOOD (for herself, Ms. BROWNLEY, Mr. LEVIN of California, Mr. MRVAN, and Mr. PAPPAS):

H.R. 2749. A bill to direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to update the Lethal Means Safety and Suicide Prevention training course of the Department of Veterans Affairs, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. MCCLINTOCK (for himself, Mrs. HINSON, Mr. MOORE of Alabama, Mr. RICE of South Carolina, and Mr. DUNCAN):

H.J. Res. 42. A joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to provide that a new State may only be admitted into the Union upon a vote of two-thirds of each House of Congress; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. SCHAKOWSKY (for herself, Ms. JAYAPAL, Mr. RUSH, Ms. BARRAGAN, Ms. NORTON, Mr. ESPAILLAT, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Ms. PINGREE, Ms. OMAR, Ms. SCANLON, Mr. RASKIN, Mr. KHANNA, Mr. LYNCH, Mr. POCAN, Ms.

JACOBS of California, Ms. TLAIB, Ms. NEWMAN, Mr. JONES, Mr. HUFFMAN, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. COHEN, Ms. MCCOLLUM, Mrs. CAROLYN B. MALONEY of New York, Ms. DEGETTE, Ms. VELÁZQUEZ, Ms. BONAMICI, Ms. WILLIAMS of Georgia, Mr. MORELLE, Ms. CASTOR of Florida, Mr. SARBANES, Mrs. WATSON COLEMAN, Mr. CÁRDENAS, Ms. BROWNLEY, Ms. MATSUI, Ms. CLARKE of New York, Ms. LEE of California, Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois, Ms. JACKSON LEE, Ms. MENG, Mr. GARCÍA of Illinois, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. BOWMAN, Ms. BASS, and Mr. NADLER):

H. Con. Res. 31. Concurrent resolution recognizing that the climate crisis is disproportionately affecting the health, economic opportunity, and fundamental rights of children, recognizing the importance of renewed leadership by the United States in addressing the climate crisis, and recognizing the need of the United States to develop a national, comprehensive, and science-based climate recovery plan to phase out fossil fuel emissions, protect and enhance natural sequestration, and put the United States on a path towards stabilizing the climate system; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. AGUILAR:

H. Res. 339. A resolution electing the Sergeant-at-Arms of the House of Representatives; considered and agreed to.

By Ms. KAPTUR (for herself, Mr. FITZPATRICK, Mr. MEEKS, Mr. MCCAUL, Mr. KEATING, Mr. PFLUGER, Mr. QUIGLEY, and Mr. MEIJER):

H. Res. 340. A resolution condemning the Government of Russia's attempted assassination of Mr. Navalny and criminal acts to intimidate and silence Russian freedom defenders; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and in addition to the Committees on Financial Services, Ways and Means, Transportation and Infrastructure, and Oversight and Reform, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. RUIZ (for himself, Ms. CHU, Mrs. BEATTY, Ms. BARRAGAN, Mr. MEEKS, Ms. GARCIA of Texas, Mr. CORREA, Ms. MATSUI, Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. TAKANO, Mr. LIEU, Mr. VARGAS, Ms. LEGER FERNANDEZ, Mr. EVANS, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mr. MCNERNEY, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. ESPAILLAT, Mr. GARCÍA of Illinois, Mr. GALLEGO, Ms. BONAMICI, Ms. MENG, Ms. NORTON, Mr. GREEN of Texas, Mr. VELA, Ms. JAYAPAL, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. CASTRO of Texas, Ms. VELÁZQUEZ, Ms. ESCOBAR, Mr. GOMEZ, Ms. ROSS, and Mr. CARBAJAL):

H. Res. 341. A resolution urging the promotion of equity in the distribution and allocation of COVID-19 vaccines among Hispanic, Black, Asian-American, Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islander, and Native American communities; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

## CONSTITUTIONAL AUTHORITY STATEMENT

Pursuant to clause 7 of rule XII of the Rules of the House of Representatives, the following statements are submitted regarding the specific powers granted to Congress in the Constitution to enact the accompanying bill or joint resolution.

By Mrs. RODGERS of Washington:

H.R. 19.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1 and Clause 3 of the United States Constitution

By Ms. SCHAKOWSKY:

H.R. 2716.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clauses 3 and 18.

The Congress shall have Power . . .

To regulate Commerce with foreign Nations, and among the several States, and with the Indian Tribes.

To make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing Powers, and all other Powers vested by this Constitution in the Government of the United States, or in any Department or Officer thereof

By Mr. WILLIAMS of Texas:

H.R. 2717.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8 of the Constitution of the United States.

By Mr. BANKS:

H.R. 2718.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

The constitutional authority of Congress to enact this legislation is provided by Article I, section 8 of the United States Constitution, specifically clause 18 (relating to the power to make all laws necessary and proper for carrying out the powers vested in Congress).

By Mr. BLUMENAUER:

H.R. 2719.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Clause 3 of Section 8 of Article I of the Constitution

By Mr. BUDD:

H.R. 2720.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8 of the Constitution: "Congress shall have Power To . . . provide for the common Defence and general Welfare of the United States" and "To make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing Powers, and all other Powers vested by this Constitution in the Government of the United States, or in any Department or Officer thereof."

By Mr. CÁRDENAS:

H.R. 2721.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 1.

All legislative powers herein granted shall be vested in a Congress of the United States, which shall consist of a Senate and House of Representative.

By Mr. CARTWRIGHT:

H.R. 2722.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3 (relating to the power of Congress to regulate Commerce with foreign Nations, and among the several States, and with the Indian Tribes.)

By Mr. CUELLAR:

H.R. 2723.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8.

By Mr. DELGADO:

H.R. 2724.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8 of the U.S. Constitution.

By Mr. ESPAILLAT:

H.R. 2725.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following: